

BUCKFIELD.

Norman Buck was in town, Monday. Fred Dyer is to open a law office here. James A. Tuell of Norway was in town, Monday.

Merton Robinson has bought the Hutchinson place and takes possession soon. A. A. Farrar, jr., and wife and Chas. Farrar of Rockland, Mass., are visiting their parents here.

Last week, the remains of James M. Johnson, a former resident of this town, an aged man, were brought here for interment from Mechanic Falls.

In less than two weeks there have been five internments at Buckfield's cemetery. The little child, the youth and old age have been represented.

Durgin's stage team of two horses, frightened at the whistle at the depot, ran down the street, Monday, crossing the bridge and away to the cemetery before being stopped. With all their tacks and turns there was no injury done.

Last Tuesday, after a long and painful illness, Deacon Alfred Shaw passed away at three score years and ten. He was a man respected by all. Funeral services were from the house conducted by his pastor, Rev. Mr. Whitson, and the A. R. of which he was a member.

Don is a little boy from the city. Seeing a hen covering her chickens, he asked his uncle what she was doing. His uncle put his foot against the hen and moved her aside. Seeing the chickens scatter he exclaimed, "Oh, you have kicked her all to pieces." Seeing his grandfather milking he hastened to the house and said, "Grandpa is juicing the cow."

On Friday, in Auburn, Mrs. Harriet F. Vose passed away, and, Saturday, her remains were brought to her home here accompanied by her son and three daughters. How strange! But a little time and one full of joyous life and vivacity comes back silent and cold. Funeral services occurred, Monday, at the Methodist church, Rev. Mr. Hannaford officiating, assisted by Rev. Mr. Whitson. Many and beautiful were the flowers. The Buckfield Literary Club of which she was a member attended in a body. She will be greatly missed by her neighbors, and especially by her children at the pleasant home where the family often spend several weeks in summer.

NORTHWEST NORWAY.

Dolly Bartlett is at work at George Xeniston's.

Edna Brown is spending her vacation from the Norway High school at home going to school at the Jones schoolhouse. Mr. and Mrs. Orin Brown and the daughter, Agnes Sanborn, attended the graduation of the class of '99, Norway High school.

Engene Gary, wife and two children have made a two weeks' visit at Will Gary's in Targers and now are visiting at W. S. Merrill's.

Mrs. H. P. Brown from Norway Center, Mrs. Cora Wyman from North Norway and Annie Walker from Bridgton recently called at Will Pierce's and Orin Brown's.

George Pierce from Massachusetts is visiting at Dr. Walker's. Dr. Walker and his boys went out to the cemetery at Norway Center, fixing and grading their lot there, Monday, May 21st.

BROWNFIELD.

The brass band will furnish music for the Grand Army, Memorial day.

Rev. Mr. Sargent is holding revival meetings at the Congregational church, this week.

Hill's crew will finish in the mill, this week, and he will commence work on his new mill on one.

The road commissioner and a crew commenced work on the roads with the road machine, Monday morning.

Will Bennett of East Fryeburg will make his home, this summer, with his brother Ellis at Brownfield Center. They will make C. E. Hill's school.

Henry F. Perry.

Henry F. Perry, died in New York, last Sunday. Mr. Perry was born in Sweden. From there he went to Lewiston where he learned the printer's trade. He went to Portland in 1870 and went into partnership with Horace Ford, the two conducting a printing business under the firm name of Ford & Perry on Exchange street. Afterward he engaged in the printing business as a member of the firm of H. F. Perry & Co. 17 years ago and went to New York. He leaves a wife and two children, besides three brothers and two sisters. The brothers are George S. of Demings, Iowa; James, of Chest Springs, Pa.; and Eben N. Perry of Portland. The sisters are Mrs. Buzzell of South Dakota and Mrs. Hayes of Haverhill. The deceased was a 32d degree Mason, a member of Maine Commandery, Portland Commandery and was a Past Master of Ancient Landmark lodge.

GILEAD.

Jack McBride went to Bethel, Monday. We understand Gilead is to have a ball team.

Ivan Heath is the owner of a new wheel. J. W. Bennett was in Berlin, Monday, on business.

John Rollins has been painting at H. P. Wheeler's.

The section crew is laying idle on account of the strike.

Samuel Fogg is painting the house and stable of F. M. Coffin.

It is said a few flakes of snow fell here on Monday morning, May 15th.

Edward Mills, who has been working for J. W. Bennett, left, Tuesday, for Lewiston.

The Hastings Lumber Company have newly painted the outside of their baggage and passenger car.

John Mayo, who has been visiting Samuel Fogg for the past two weeks, left, last Friday, for Arisa, where he is employed in a shoe factory.

SOUTH RUMFORD.

Mrs. Amy Putnam and son are stopping with Mrs. Clara Curtis. She is going to her sister's, Mrs. Ida Fletcher's at East Dixfield, to live.

Andy Falarido is stopping at his brother's, Tom Falarido's. His leg which was crushed while working in the woods is about ten inches shorter.

W. F. Clark has finished work at the sorting gap and gone to work on his farm. He bought the horse that was sold at auction on the premises of the late W. W. Stevens at Rumford.

Advertised Letters, Norway. Elsie A. Penzo, Alice Witherall, W. Linnell.

Virgin's Letter from Jamaica.

NORFOLK.—H. R. Virgin, esq., of Portland, wrote a letter to his uncle, Horace Cole of this town, and we get permission from the latter to publish it.—Editor.

Port Antonio, Jamaica, May 8, 1899. Here I am down where the sun rises at six and sets at six, and when the sun goes down behind the mountains it is dark in a few minutes, no twilight such as we enjoy at home. In fact this is a unique country, not only the land and the growth but the people as well. The island presents a beautiful sight to one approaching from the sea, as it is very mountainous and the land is covered with the most luxuriant growth of tropical foliage of the greenest hues.

The coconut trees are graceful and look queer to Northern eyes, with their long trunks and great tufts of long waving leaves at the very top, with bunches of fruit of all sizes and even great blossoms on the same tree. I am quite fond of the water in the growing ones, called water cocoanuts, and drink freely of it. For a sixpence, 12 cents of U. S. money, a boy will walk up a tree and throw down some green nuts covered with a husk 2 inches thick. When with his machete will cut off the husk and the end of the nut which is easily cut, and you then drink from the nut a deliciously cool though somewhat sweet water; the inside of the nut just beginning to form and being soft and jelly like. Every kind of animal is very fond of it; cats, dogs, pigs, hens, chickens, ducks, etc., as well as human beings. I saw six little chickens, all that could get into half a nut, pecking away for dear life and all the other animals observed, eating from other pieces.

The way the darkies go up a tree they clasp the tree with their hands and place their feet step by step against the ridge left by the leaf as it falls off during the growth of the tree, and bent at an acute angle they walk up the tree, instead of shinning up as we do. I have taken some interesting pictures which I will be glad to show you if they come out all right. This is a country of much moisture and heavy rains, and consequently the streams rise quickly as the water rushes down from the mountains, and when the water is high the people say the river is "down" and when the water is low they say the river is "up," meaning up the mountains. There are few bridges and most of the streams are forded. The native women and girls simply raise their skirts, as high as necessary, and wade in, in their loads on their heads, and the men and boys do likewise. The roads here are fine and hard, the women breaking the stone that is put on the roads, and the women and donkeys are the beasts of burden; the former all carry their loads on their heads, and the heavy ones too. I have seen young women carry two bushels of green bananas on their heads, that would weigh not far from 90 pounds, and I have seen them go to the other extreme, carrying a tub of water on the head. Saturday is market day, and they come, walk into town from 24 miles away, with loads of produce on their heads, coming along between four and five miles an hour, with swinging stride, walking from hips, and not moving the head or shoulders. Friday, by special invitation I visited a large coconut plantation, thousands of trees. The house situated in the grove of trees, a regular lawn, that is kept clean and short, and the land sloping down to the bluff overlooking the sea, literally overhanging, as the land is largely of coral formation and is washed away by the sea, leaving large caves and caverns, wonderful to see. My host gave up the day to me, and planned to shoot a shark from the rocks, but the negroes hadn't placed the bait, (a dead pig) contrary to orders, so we didn't get one, although I saw one about 8 feet long but we had no way to get him up to the surface. We waded down the beach 3/4 of a mile or so, where there was one below the rocks, picked up a few curios, and coming back to the rocks (Mr. Kirkland) invited me to take a plunge, but remembering the shark, I declined. He, however, stripped, and plunged in swim into a cavern, and I had seen that shark swim, dived under the waves, disappeared from my view and after being gone some time came swimming round a big rock, having been through the cavern. No, thank you, I don't care for any more. He is used to sharks! Hod, the back bones and jaws of some big ones in his shed are 12 ft. 6 in. long with 9 rows of teeth in the jaw, each tooth with a saw edge. This is a fine hotel, but the season is over and the guests about all gone. I shall be the only guest after Thursday, although there are quite a number of the Boston Fruit Co. employees who board here and will continue to do so. I suppose the ice and snow are gone, the ice out of the lake and the Henrietta about ready for business. My launch is all ready except a gasket under the cylinder head. This is a beautiful spot. The hotel is situated on a little hill that slopes down to the water and the large steamers pass by within a pistol shot, the channel between here and the little island opposite being no wider than between you and me and Hayden's shore, but is deep and the water is a most beautiful greenish blue. The steamer from Boston got in at 3 this morning and has just left for Kingston, passing so close we could speak to quite a party who left the hotel this morning. I went to Kingston two weeks ago on the same ship and came near it again, this morning, but concluded I would go later. H. R. V.

Life in the Cavalry.

[Frank A. Eastman kindly gives us permission to publish the following letter from him, his son who is in Troop C of the U. S. Sixth Cavalry.]

Fort Riley, Kansas, May 18, '99. It has been some time since I wrote to you. I learn that Dick [his brother] has joined the navy. I wish you would send his address as I would like to compare notes.

I guess we can tell something about the U. S. army when we get home. The boys are deserting by twos, fours and squads—any way to get out. Twenty men went out of here with a circus at one time. The longer I am in the army the more I like it. We rise at 5.15 and at 7.00 we have our breakfast, roll call, beds made and swept out and our horses saddled ready to mount up. We drill us mounted until about 9.30. They drill us mounted for about an hour, then we have to dismount and fight on foot, taking about 1/2 mile from the horses at double time, then when we have advanced while in a short distance they give up and prepare to mount. Then the horses are brought up at short time and we mount and go as skirmishers, then we get rally charge, skinners, then we get rally charge, We ride over embankments and every place you can imagine; then when we

get in again we have to get ready for fencing drill. In the afternoon, we get packing drill and gymnasium, then stables, supper and retreat. How is this for a day's work, I wonder? You give all of my friends my best regards and tell them I will answer all letters they may write. I can give some pretty good stories when I get home. Perhaps I can show you how to break and ride a horse. I have been getting good rank so far in judging distance and for what I have learned about drill.

SOUTH CONWAY, N. H.

Mrs. Small of Portland is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Parsons. Quite a number at Conway Centre have taken their young cattle away to pasture.

One of Mason of Cotton's Mills is sick with the measles, also Charlie Masou and Joe Jackson. It has been rainy, for the past few days, but it is very cold and our people are afraid to plant much. They hope for warmer weather.

One day, last week, Mrs. Fred Garland had a call from her sister Miss Emery and a gentleman friend, who are at work at the Sunset, North Conway. A short time ago, a Mr. Henderson from Rochester was in the place to visit his father, Aaron Henderson. He brought his wife's body to Snowville, and buried it in the family lot. The scholars in this district have cleaned up the yard around their school house, so it looks quite nice, the teacher told them about doing the work. Mr. Page of Fryeburg, one day last week, tried to drive a pump for the school house, but did not succeed. We hear they are to try again.

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HIRAM.—John Pierce to J. O. Miller, \$325; W. L. Davis to F. W. Davis, \$1. CHURCH.—W. Charles to D. H. Chandler, \$1; John Bachelder to D. H. Chandler, \$25; John Hastings to D. H. Chandler, \$105; D. H. Wiley to F. L. Charles, \$60.

LOVELL.—A. Heald to H. D. Walker, \$2,000; H. D. Walker et al. to George Marston, \$30; H. D. Walker to A. Heald, \$1,485; A. M. Andrews to A. Heald, \$1,334; C. Andrews to O. E. Eastman, \$1,500; C. A. Davis to Geo. W. Andrews, \$15. SROW.—Ella Smith to Olive Kimball, \$120.

SWEDEN.—C. L. Hilton to W. P. Thompson, \$200.

DENMARK.—Geo. A. Smith to Wm. C. Ordway, \$500; A. A. Mayberry to M. H. Wentworth, \$500; L. Norton to J. H. Berry, \$10.

A series of articles which ought to be of great value is announced for early publication in Harper's Bazar. They will give a comprehensive discussion of "Home Dressmaking." It is needless to mention that the contributors of the series, Julia E. McLaughlin, teacher of dressmaking at Pratt Institute, is fully competent to present the subject so that it will be easily understood by all women who wish to make their own gowns.

Wonderland '99 is the title of the latest publication of the Northern Pacific Railway. It is a handsome pamphlet, of more than a hundred pages, plumb full of the most interesting reading and wilderness views along the 1,500 miles of that railway line. General Passenger and Ticket Agent Charles S. Fee of St. Paul, sent us this beautiful pamphlet, and we hardly know which to pick up about—lumbering, mining, agriculture, hunting or fishing—but we guess it was the fishing.

BIRTHS. In Canton, May 14, to the wife of S. B. Ellis, a son. (Ansel Staples). In Byron, May 19, to the wife of Wallace A. Reed, a daughter. In Byron, May 21, to the wife of Guy W. Herick, a son. In Naples, May 21, to the wife of Edward E. Jewett, a son. In West Paris, May 21, to the wife of W. E. Pratt, a daughter. In Snow's Falls, May 22, to the wife of Moses P. Smith, a son. In East Bethel, May 22, to the wife of Geo. K. Hastings, a son.

MARRIAGES. In Bethel, May 22, Arthur of Bethel and Nellie Hastings of Bethel. In Norway, May 20, by Rev. Caroline E. Angell, William Thompson and Mildred Gell, both of Norway. In Norway, May 20, by Charles G. Mason, esq., Herbert P. Frost and Nellie Everett, both of Norway. In West Side, Cal., April 23, Dean Spring and Cora Gatchell, both of East Brownfield.

DEATHS. In South Waterford, May 22, Herbert A. Noe, aged 58 years. In Mechanic Falls, May, James Madison Johnson, formerly of Bethel, aged 87 years. In Norway, May 16, Martha Jane, wife of David Sanborn, aged 68 years, 8 months, 16 days. In Newbury, Mass., Mrs. George D. Adkins, nee Towle, formerly of Canton. In West Paris, May 18, Mrs. Grace, wife of Austin Hayes. In Buckfield, May 17, Deacon Alfred Shaw, aged 70 years. In Oxford, May 8, Harry Littlewood. In Paris, May 16, Mrs. Chloe Ann Heath, aged 82 years. In Waterboro, Ophelia, wife of Calvin Cole, aged about 64 years. In Portland, May 19, J. B. Webb, aged 73 years. In Norway, May 22, Leona May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lindor M. Cox, aged 1 month, 9 days. In Norway, May 20, Mrs. Henrietta Lamrock, aged 68 years, 8 months, 18 days. In Corinna, May 22, Mrs. Susan Ross, widow of the late Hugh Ross and second daughter of John and Margaret Chase of North Berwick, aged 38 years, 6 months, 16 days. In Denmark, May 18, Arthur L. Warren, aged 36 years, 4 months. In Glen, May 17, David Perley, formerly of Harrison. In Auburn, May 17, Mrs. Harriet F. Vose of Buckfield. In New York, May 21, Henry F. Perry, a native of Sweden. In South Paris, May 24, Mrs. Susan, widow of Asa Matthews, aged 89 years.

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So. Waterford, Me.

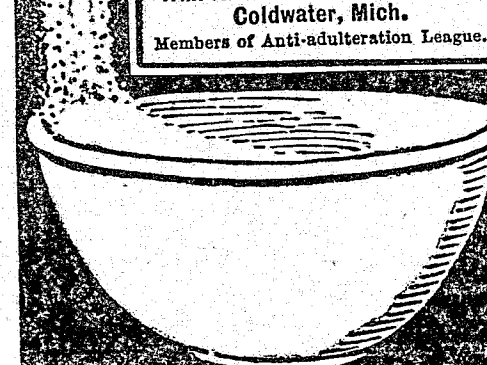


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LOVELL.

Mrs. C. E. Harmon is sick. A. R. Davis has a new horse. Work has begun on the road. Will Lord has returned from Portland. S. F. Heald has moved into his new home. J. F. Stearns has the boss garden. Beans, potatoes, peas, squash, etc. up to two to three inches. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman of Portland are staying at present at the home of her father, Eben Hamblin. Mrs. Nettie K. Trott of Oisfield, with her two children John and Fred are visiting at her husband's father, A. M. Pottle's. Lots of planting has been done but this cold wave has stopped it, as crops are better off out of the ground and nothing to be gained by planting until it is warmer. They are trying for a new road out around Foster's hill, so called, on the road leading from No. 4 to No. 8. It is a bad hill and a good chance to make a road around it. Mr. and Mrs. Stark of Cambridge, Mass. have arrived at their summer at the center. They are going to their city home in a few days. Monday A. M. Mrs. S. caught 6 pounds of bass and the large ones got away. They are at work on the road with machine and Oscar Kimball's team of six horses. Mr. Kimball handles the ribbons, E. W. Stanley the machine. D. E. Briggs is boss as Commissioner Davis will not be at home until June 1st. E. R. McAllister of the road crew hurt his foot badly, last week. A three inch bridge plank fell on the side of the foot. He was very lame for a few days. Mr. McAllister signed for a story paper while at North Lovell but he has not received but one copy. Don't pay for papers unless you know your man is all right.

Herbert A. Noble.

Herbert A. Noble died at South Waterford, last Monday, after an illness of several years. He was born in Waterford, July 30, 1840, and lived in this state until the breaking out of the Civil war, when he enlisted, July 5, 1861, as a private in Co. F, 14th Massachusetts Infantry, which was afterwards changed to the First Massachusetts Heavy Artillery, serving faithfully until August 16, 1865, when he was mustered out as first lieutenant, having taken part in every one of the many battles in which that regiment was engaged. At the conclusion of the war he went West for a time, but returned to the East and was for a number of years a resident of Portland, being employed as bookkeeper for Smith, Morgan & Butler, clothing manufacturers, then doing business at the corner of Middle and Market streets, afterwards removing to Boston. He was an expert accountant, and was in the employ of several prominent firms in that city until the time until ill health compelled him to retire from active life and go back to his native town. In the army he was a brave soldier, and in civil life he was faithful to every duty assigned him. He leaves a widow to mourn his death, and a large circle of friends and acquaintances in Maine and Massachusetts. The funeral was at South Waterford, Thursday afternoon.

NORTHWEST ALBANY.

F. Foster is working for E. W. Rolfe. Mrs. Moses Mason has returned from Gorham, N. H. C. P. Pingree has been delivering books, the past week. Lottie Bennett and her sister Villie are home from Norway to stop a few weeks.

GRATON.

A. W. Grover, Bethel, undertaker and funeral manager. New, up-to-date goods and special orders promptly filled.

STATEMENT of the condition of the NORWAY SAVINGS BANK, Norway, as it existed on the 5th day of May, 1899.

CYRUS S. TUCKER, President. SEWARD S. STEARNS, Treasurer.

LIABILITIES.

Deposits.....	\$298,662 21
Reserve Fund.....	1,000 00
Undivided Profits.....	5,636 36
	305,298 57

RESOURCES.

Public Funds Owned.	Par Value.	Estimated and Market on Books.	Charged on Books.	Total.
Town of Stoneham, order.....	\$175 00	\$175 00	\$175 00	
Town of Waterford, order.....	400 00	400 00	400 00	
Milton Plantation, order.....	90 00	90 00	90 00	
Total public funds of Maine.....	665 00			\$665 00
City of Ashabania, O. G., 1898-1899, Sewer.....	1,500 00	1,545 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Arrostock Northern, 5s, 1917.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	
Bangor & Arrostock, 5s, 1915.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	
Total railroad bonds of Maine.....	10,000 00			10,000 00
Black Rock and Salsburg Beach, 5s, 1911.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	
North Pacific, General Lien, 5s, 1911.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00	
Pontiac, Oxford & Northern, 6s, 1915.....	5,000 00	5,375 00	5,000 00	
Pottery Traction Company, O. G., 1908.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	
Trenton Passenger, N. Y., 6s, 1910.....	5,000 00	5,500 00	5,000 00	
Union Electric, Dover, N. H., 5s, 1917.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	
Total railroad bonds out of Maine.....	27,500 00			26,625 00
Corporation Bonds Owned.				
Frontier Water Co., Fort Fairfield, 5s, 1908.....	1,000 00	1,023 00	1,000 00	
Madison Water Company, 5s, 1912, Optional.....	3,000 00	3,069 00	3,000 00	
Maine Steamship Company, Portland, 5s, 1926.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	
Maine Water Company, 5s, 1911.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	
Norway Shoe Shop Company, 5s, Optional.....	500 00	500 00	500 00	
Oxford County Loan Ass'n, Norway, 5s, 1898.....	400 00	400 00	400 00	
Oxford County Loan Ass'n, Norway, 5s, 1905, Op.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	
Twin Village Water Co., Damariscotta, 5s, 1916.....	500 00	510 00	500 00	
Waterville Water Company 5s, 1917.....	500 00	510 00	500 00	
Total corporation bonds of Maine.....	25,000 00			25,900 00
Alkon Water Works, O. G., 1900.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00	
Littletown Water & Light Co., N. H., 5s.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	5,000 00	
Total corporation bonds out of Maine.....	7,000 00			7,000 00
Railroad Stock Owned.				
Portland & Ogdensburg.....	11,000 00	5,500 00	5,027 50	5,027 50
Northern Pacific, Preferred.....	1,200 00	936 00	600 00	600 00
Corporation Stock Owned.				
Norway Building Association.....	500 00	250 00	500 00	
Norway Shoe Shop Company.....	500 00	125 00	500 00	
Total corporation stock owned.....	1,000 00			1,000 00
National Bank Stock Owned.				
Canal National Bank, Portland.....	500 00	582 50	500 00	
Casco National Bank, Portland.....	4,200 00	4,515 00	4,200 00	
First National Bank, Portland.....	9,500 00	9,760 00	9,500 00	
First National Bank, Portland.....	12,500 00	12,900 00	12,500 00	
Manufacturers' National Bank, Lewiston.....	10,000 00	11,000 00	10,000 00	
National Shoe & Leather Bank, Auburn.....	7,000 00	7,500 00	7,000 00	
National Bank, Portland.....	4,000 00	4,692 00	4,000 00	
Norway National Bank, Norway.....	15,500 00	17,212 50	15,500 00	
Total National Bank Stock owned.....	56,500 00			56,500 00
Other Bank Stock Owned.				
Auburn Trust Company, Auburn.....	3,200 00	3,200 00	3,200 00	
Oxford County Loan Association, Norway.....	1,000 00	333 33	1,000 00	
Portland Trust Company, Portland.....	4,000 00	6,000 00	4,000 00	
Total Other Bank Stock owned.....	8,200 00			8,200 00
Loans on Corporation Bonds.				
Bethel Chair Company.....	1,000 00	1,000 00		
Norway Building Association.....	500 00	250 00		
Norway Water Company.....	6,500 00	6,500 00		
Total Other Bank Stock owned.....	8,200 00			8,200 00
Loans on National Bank Stock.				
American Exchange National Bank, Lincoln, Neb.....	1,000 00	1,000 00		
First National Bank, Broken Bow, Neb.....	3,500 00	3,500 00		
Norway National Bank, Norway.....	3,500 00	3,500 00		
People's National Bank, Waterville.....	988 00	988 00		
Total Other Bank Stock owned.....	9,128 00			9,128 00
Loans on Other Bank Stock.				
Bank of Caloway, Neb.....	3,200 00	3,200 00		
Bank of Gering, Neb.....	3,800 00	3,800 00		
Norway National Bank, Norway.....	200 00	200 00		
Oxford County Loan Association, Norway.....	382 74	382 74		
Total Other Bank Stock owned.....	8,112 74			8,112 74
Loans on Savings Bank Bonds.				
Hallowell Savings Institution.....	500 00	500 00		
Norway Savings Bank.....	575 00	575 00		
Total Other Bank Stock owned.....	1,075 00			1,075 00
Loans on Corporations.				
First Baptist Church, Norway.....	300 00	300 00		
Oxford Congregational Parish.....	30 00	30 00		
Oxford County Loan Association, Norway.....	100 00	100 00		
Second Congregational Parish, Norway.....	1,000 00	1,000 00		
Total Other Bank Stock owned.....	1,430 00			1,430 00
Loans on Florida Southern Railway bond.....	155 31	155 31		
Loans on mortgages.....	28 35	28 35		
Loans on life insurance policies.....	4,022 64	4,022 64		
Loans on personal property.....	410 00	410 00		
Loans on mortgages of real estate.....	96,285 92	96,285 92		
Total Other Bank Stock owned.....	100,013 25			100,013 25
Real estate, investment.....	7,500 00	7,500 00		
Real estate, foreclosed.....	5,554 32	5,554 32		
Furniture and fixtures.....	1,500 00	1,500 00		
Total Other Bank Stock owned.....	13,554 32			13,554 32
Premium account.....	7,600 00			
Expense account.....	460 40			
Cash on deposit.....	9,915 00	9,915 00		
Cash on hand.....	1,437 22	1,437 22		
Total Other Bank Stock owned.....	11,352 22			11,352 22
Unpaid accrued interest.....	7,898 84			
Total Other Bank Stock owned.....	313,773 84			313,773 84
Due depositors, earned dividend and accrued State tax.....	204,748 81			204,748 81
Estimated market value of resources above liability for deposits, earned dividend and State tax.....	8,628 73			8,628 73
Annual expenses, \$500 00.....				
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DENMARK.

Willard McKusick went to Gorham, Monday, to work in a blacksmith shop. Walter Powers and wife of Newry came, Monday, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Witham.

Rev. Mr. Sargent and Rev. Mr. Wharton, missionary, have held meetings in town, the past two weeks, and will hold meetings the next two weeks at Brownfield.

Mrs. C. H. Quincey and her children of Bakersfield, California, are visiting Mrs. Quincey's mother, Mrs. Walter Blake. C. H. Quincey will come later to visit them.

We have just learned that Leonard Bradbury's mill house was burned early Monday morning about three o'clock. It was occupied by Preston Warren who lost most of their furniture.

Arthur L. Warren died, May 14th, aged 35 years, 4 months. Mr. Warren and the misfortune to be born blind, but it was thought that he would go about to other towns and not get lost.

Mrs. Maud Head Planders with her husband, Harry Planders of Massachusetts, came, Saturday, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Head. She has closed her labors at the Worcester Asylum and will spend a few weeks at her old home. They were recently married.

DIXFIELD CENTRE.

T. T. Holman is hoeing his early potatoes.

Charlie Towle has gone to Dixfield to work in the pool mill.

Hosea Newton sold a good horse, last week, to Mr. Holmes of Wilton.

Weston Penn Holman has gone to Canton to work for R. G. Dunn, esq.

Della Holman is up to her old home from Limerick and is teaching in the Towle district.

We hear of the sudden death of Gilbert Miller, keeper of the hotel, and first schoolmaster of Wilton.

Livonia Holman returned home from Florida, last week, where she had been to improve her health.

Caterpillars are being looked after. But few of the apple trees have blossomed and those only partially.

Mrs. Annie Wheelwright of East Dixfield has been dressmaking for several women in this place, the past two or three weeks.

Quite a number of small trout are being caught out of Pond pond, Carthage, this spring. The two years law was off, May 1st.

W. H. Ormsby of Scarborough is teaching the summer school here and will probably teach the free high school in the fall and winter term.

Rev. F. Starbird of West Farmington preaches here at the Free Baptist church one-half of the time and Elder Wheeler of Madrid the other half.

Edward Merrill has been secured for cheese making, the coming summer. This insures a good lot of cheese as his last year's make sold from one to two cents higher than it ever has before.

Farmers here are well along with sowing and are about done with the exception of planting their sweet corn. The prospect is fair for another good hay crop with a lighter apple crop than last year.

FRYEBURG.

Miss Fernald has gone to her home in Portland.

Dr. B. W. McKee of Augusta was in town, last week.

Mrs. E. E. Hastings has returned from a visit in Arlington, Mass.

Thomas Souther of Portland spent Sunday at Mrs. G. B. Barrows'.

Edward E. Hastings and C. F. Good have been at Cold river on a fishing trip.

The annual business meeting of the club will be held, Friday afternoon, at 2.30 in the library.

The Woman's Club has recently added 40 new volumes to their library, which now includes 850 books.

Principal George C. Purington of Farmington Normal School will lecture here in academy hall, May 25.

Grover Post, G. A. R., will attend special memorial services at the New Church, next Sunday afternoon.

The ladies of the New Church Society will hold a strawberry festival at New Church hall on Friday evening.

Memorial at Fryeburg.

On Sunday, May 28th, the comrades will assemble at their hall at 1.30 p.m. and march in a body to the New Church where the two resident pastors have arranged a union service for the occasion.

On the morning of May 30th the comrades detailed will proceed to all the cemeteries within their circuit, and decorate the graves of fallen comrades, reaching their Post-room by 12 o'clock, where a picnic dinner will be served. Comrades will wear uniforms, belts and badges, if they have them.

In the afternoon the Post will again form and march to the upper cemetery, in the village, and decorate the graves in accordance with our service ritual, and then march to the Congregational church, where the exercises will commence at 2 o'clock p.m.

Hon. Enoch Foster will deliver the address. The Nonesuch quartette will furnish music at the church. All soldiers and sailors of the late Spanish-American War and Sons of Veterans are cordially invited to join our ranks on this day.

NORWAY LAKE.

Miss Bartlett is visiting at Osgood Perry's.

Mrs. Sarah Marston has returned from her visit at Norway.

Mrs. Cyrus Tucker of Norway visited at Benj. Tucker's last week.

Mrs. Ellen Potts was at her brother's, J. F. Bradbury's, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Packard of Norway were at David Floyd's, Tuesday.

The Norway Lake Woman's Club will meet with Ellen Partridge, May 31. It will be a Memorial afternoon and members are requested to bring something about it to read or have read.

RUMFORD CENTRE.

Fred Thompson is very ill. Emma Dolloff is able to ride out.

A. F. Hall has started his meat cart. H. W. Graham has gone to New York.

C. B. Abbott is able to be around the village.

Amos Austin has been very ill with the mumps.

Mrs. L. Dolloff is having some chambers finished in the L. of his home. W. G. Farnum and E. L. Bartlett are painting the Everson cottages at the Falls.

WEST PARIS.

Colds are prevalent. Leonard Swan is out again.

Adoniram Curtis who has been quite sick is gaining.

The army worm is playing destruction with the orchards.

Fred Hull is in Chicago, on business for the Wood Kim Co.

W. E. Ricker has gone to Norway to work in the shoe shop.

B. B. Dennen who has suffered a partial shock is gaining slowly.

Our teachers in the graded school are giving excellent satisfaction.

Simoon Curtis who is seriously ill is reported as more comfortable.

A. R. Bucknam is putting in a new sidewalk in front of his block.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pratt have a daughter born, Sunday morning.

Asbury Curtis is at home from Massachusetts to see his sick father, Adoniram.

Sheriff James R. Tucker of South Paris was in town, last week, on business.

Ladies' Aid at W. T. Carr's, last Tuesday evening, was well patronized by young and old.

Rev. J. W. Smith and wife were in town, Saturday, to attend the funeral of their daughter, Gracie Hayes.

Henry Bates and wife and Lewis Bates and son, W. V. of New Haven, Conn., arrived in town, Tuesday evening.

F. J. Wood has just received several large shafts and pulleys for his mill at Snow's Falls, which he expects to have in operation soon.

A large delegation of ladies from this place attended the W. O. T. U. Convention at South Paris, last week, and reported a very enjoyable time.

O. D. Ellingwood, Will Willis and son Timothy, James Curtis and others took advantage of excursion rates and went to Portland, Saturday. They report a moist time.

Appropriate services will be held in the M. E. Church for the few remaining veterans and their sons, next Sunday, Memorial day. All, especially the old soldiers, are invited to be present.

Mrs. Grace, wife of Austin J. Hayes passed away, Thursday morning. The funeral was held at the M. E. church, Saturday, at 1 p.m. It was largely attended. The pastor, R. S. Leard, preached an appropriate sermon from Isaiah xlv, 6, "We all do fade as a leaf." The flowers, both potted and cut, were most magnificent.

WEST SUMMER.

Caterpillars plenty, apple blossoms scarce.

H. T. Heath is at Buckfield to work, this week.

Richmond Tuttle is putting a much needed addition on his barn.

Silas Maxim and family from Paris were at John Murch's, May 15.

Wm. Bonney and daughter went to Norway on Monday, Wednesday.

Wm. Glover and wife from Livermore Falls have visited relatives here.

Dr. E. H. Andrews lost a nice cow, last week. He recently refused \$50 for her.

Charles Packard from Lawrence, Mass., passed through here, a few days since.

Mrs. Cushing Ford is quite sick at this writing. Mrs. Lucy Ann Lawrence is at work for her.

Hiram Howe and wife have moved back into their house to the delight of their neighbors.

J. J. Abbott went to Auburn, Monday, to have some painting done to his house which he rents there.

Mrs. Cynthia Bisbee after using crutches 30 years has laid them aside and walks with only a cane.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Bonney went to Hartford, Tuesday, to see John Glover, whom they met very properly.

Rev. Mr. Miller of East Summer is to deliver the Memorial address in the Baptist church here in the p.m. of May 30.

C. E. Handy and wife went to South Paris, one day last week, to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Thomas Heath, who died very suddenly.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Field went to Paris, Tuesday, and visited Mrs. Ruth Thayer. They went to Dixfield,